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Applicant(s): Jun Li et al. Confirmation 6650
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For: HYPERBOLIC TREE SPACE DISPLAY OF COMPUTER SYSTEM
MONITORING AND ANALYSIS DATA

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING
A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 17, 2006 kindly amend the application identified above as follows.